

Tip

For each scenario you create, use a unique name that clearly identifies and distinguishes it. This practice will save you time and headache if you have to work with a large set of scenarios. We do not recommend using the default name suggested by Calc.

- 4) Optionally, add information to the *Comment* field. The example in Figure 310 shows the default comment.
- 5) Click **OK** to close the dialog. The new scenario is automatically activated upon creation.
- 6) Repeat steps 1 to 5 to create additional scenarios. Select the same cell range that you used for the first scenario to have multiple scenarios for the same calculations.

Tip

To keep track of what calculations are dependent on your scenarios, use **Tools > Detective > Trace Dependents** on the Menu bar after highlighting your scenario cells. Arrows will point from your scenario cells to the dependent formula cells. For more information about the Detective tool, see Chapter 7, Using Formulas and Functions.

Scenario settings

The *Settings* sections of the Create Scenario dialog contains the following options:

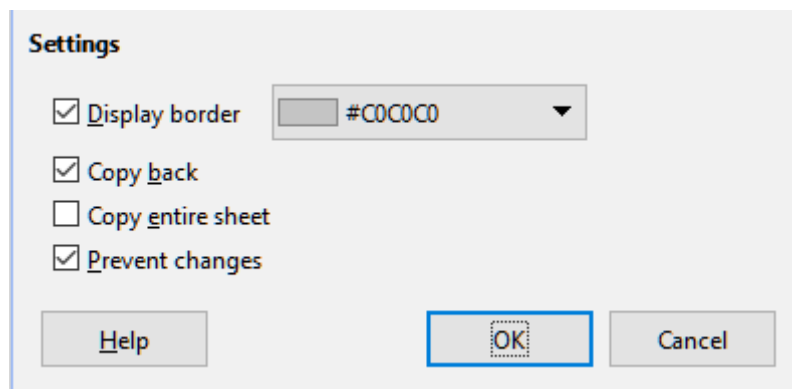


Figure 311: Create Scenario dialog – Settings section

Display border

Places a colored border around the cell range that contains your scenario (Figure 312).

To choose the color of the border, use the drop-down field to the right of this option. The border has a title bar displaying the name of the active scenario and a down arrow button that opens a drop-down list of all the scenarios defined for the current cell range. You can swap to another scenario by selecting it from this list.